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Re: Journal Broadcast Corporation
KYQQ(FM), Arkansas City, Kansas
Facility Identification Number: 37121
Special Temporary Authority

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed May 8, 2009, on behalf of Journal Broadcast Corporation ("JBC"). JBC requests special temporary authority ("STA") to operate Station KYQQ with emergency antenna facilities pursuant to Section 73.1680 following the collapse of its licensed tower.¹

In support of the request, JBC states that it was previously granted STA for an emergency antenna at Wichita, Kansas. In order to provide coverage to the south central portion of its licensed coverage area, including the city of license, JBC proposes to add a second emergency antenna using the formerly licensed antenna system of Station KWLS-FM. In order to minimize interference between the two emergency antennas, JBC proposes synchronous carrier operation.

Our review indicates that the proposed STA would not result in extension of the 60 dBu contour beyond the licensed contour, and that it would provide vastly improved service to Arkansas City and surrounding communities. While there would be two small areas of predicted interference, these areas fall on sparsely populated farmland. On balance, we find that the public interest would be served by grant of the requested STA.

Accordingly, the request for STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station KYQQ may operate with the following facilities:

Geographic coordinates:	37° 14' 42" N, 96° 54' 19" W (NAD 1927)
Channel	293 (106.5 MHz)
Effective radiated power:	3.1 kilowatt (H&V)
Antenna height:	

¹ KYQQ is licensed for operation on Channel 293C0 (106.5 MHz) with effective radiated power of 100 kilowatts (H&V) and antenna height above average terrain of 390 meters.

above ground:	98 meters
above mean sea level:	498 meters
Above average terrain:	118 meters

JBC must notify the Commission when licensed operation is restored. JBC must use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from exposure to radio frequency radiation in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. *See* 47 CFR § 1.1310.

This authority expires on **November 11, 2009**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Charles N. Miller", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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cc: Journal Broadcast Corporation